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#### Enclosed are:

- [X] Japanese Language Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (8 pages).
- [X] Informal drawings (4 sheets, Figures 1-7).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 pages).
- [X] Assignment of the invention to KABUSHIKI KAISHA TOSHIBA and TOSHIBA TEC KABUSHIKI KAISHA.
- [X] Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement.
- [X] Form PTO/SB/08.
- [X] Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).

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